Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 02 Oct 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 03 Oct 2022

Forecast Issued on Sunday 02 Oct 2022 at 02:27

Confidence: High for a lot of dry weather on Sunday but some uncertainty in the extent of any rain which may affect the south of the area in the morning. High for unsettled and often wet and windy conditions next week but lower confidence for details at this stage.

Headline for Sunday 02 Oct 2022: Mainly dry with bright or sunny spells and gentle westerly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 02 Oct 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Sunday 02 Oct 2022

Weather: Clear spells overnight and mainly dry but a small chance of rain affecting southern Snowdonia towards dawn. Any rain in the south soon dying out then a dry day with lengthening bright or sunny spells. A dry evening with long clear spells and becoming chilly in the valleys later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70% at first then soon becoming 95%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good visibility giving clear views of distant hills but perhaps poor for a short time across the south at first in any rain. A few patches of cloud above 600m at first, mainly on western upslopes, but these will soon disperse in the morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	17/20 NW	13/16 NW	13/17 NW	12/16 NW	9/11 NW	5/7 SE	5/7 SE
600	10/14 NW	9/12 NW	11/15 NW	10/14 NW	5/7 W	4/6 SE	5/7 SE
300	5/11 NW	6/10 NW	9/14 NW	8/13 W	3/5 SW	3/4 SE	4/6 SE
Valley	5/12 NW	6/10 NW	9/14 NW	9/13 W	3/4 SW	4/5 S	5/7 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/1	6/2	7/4	7/4	7/4	6/5	7/5
600	8/5	8/6	10/8	10/8	9/8	8/7	8/7
300	10/9	11/10	13/11	13/11	10/10	10/10	10/9
Valley	11/10	12/11	14/12	14/12	12/12	11/11	11/10
Freezing Level*	1600m	1600m	1700m	1900m	2000m	2200m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Good hillwalking conditions across Snowdonia. Note that some streams and fords may still be fast-flowing from recent rain.

Forecast for Monday 03 Oct 2022

Weather: Dry overnight with clear spells, rather chilly with a few mist and fog patches developing in the valleys. Early mist and fog clearing then dry for most of the day. Best of the sunshine in the morning then cloudier in the afternoon with strengthening winds. Outbreaks of mostly light rain are then expected to spread east during the evening.

Maximum wind: Southerly 10-15mph in the morning steadily increasing during the day with average 30-35mph and gusts 45-50mph on the high ridges and summits by evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% in the morning, becoming 40% in afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Early mist patches clearing, otherwise mainly good visibility during the morning and into the afternoon. Patchy cloud and fog developing above 600 or 700m during the afternoon, mainly over Snowdon ranges. Cloud lowering further during evening as rain arrives.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6C rising to 15 or 16C.
At 800m: Plus 5C rising to 10 or 11C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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